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1. In January 1953 enrollment at the Political Security School in Peiping was to be increased from 300 to 500 students, and the school was to add a military intelligence class. The Political Security School, which was established in 1950 by expanding one of the training classes of the Social Affairs Department of the Chinese Communist Party, was under the jurisdiction of the Political Department of the Chinese Communist Revolutionary Military Council. The school trained political security personnel for army units. LO Jung-huan (5012/2837/2719)² was principal of the school and TSOU Ta-p'eng (6760/1129/7720)³ was the dean of studies.
2. In early December 1952 the political departments of the military areas received instructions from the Political Department of the Revolutionary Military Council to send political directors, instructors, and intelligence personnel of battalion level or below to the school from time to time.

2. Comment. In February 1952 LO Jung-huan was the head of the Political Department of the Chinese Communist Army.
3. Comment. In August 1952 TSOU Ta-p'eng was removed from his position as Director of the Information Administration when the Administration was abolished. TSOU was immediately appointed to be director of the Political Security Department of the Political Department of the Revolutionary Military Council.

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